

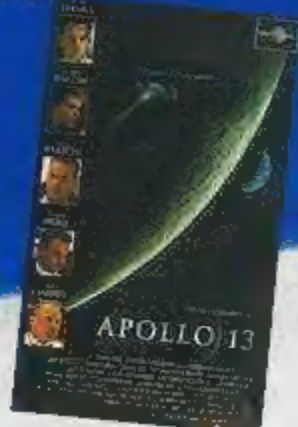
## EXPLORIENS

FOR HUNDREDS OF YEARS, MAN HAS BEEN FASCINATED BY SPACE. SCIENTISTS HAVE MADE AMAZING DISCOVERIES BY SENDING PEOPLE AND MACHINES INTO THE UNKNOWN TO EXPLORE.

In 1961, a Russian called Yuri Gagarin was the first man in space. Since then, over 300 people have travelled there in

different types of spacecraft - including Space Shuttle, the first to go to space. She spent 8 days there in 1992.

You can discover the unknown in LEGO SYSTEM Explorers 'Saturn 3' (8882), and orbit the skies in LEGO Explorers Crusader (8850).



## COMPETITION 1

THE FILM APOLLO 13 IS THE STORY OF ONE MISSION INTO SPACE THAT NEARLY WENT WRONG.

There are 10 first prizes of LEGO SYSTEM Explorers

PLUS 10 SECOND PRIZES OF APOLLO 13. 20 runners-up will each get a LEGO Key Ring. Just answer this question: How many people have

## PIRATES

the days when pirates ruled the waves, no ship was safe!

Wicked pirates would attack them, murdering the sailors and stealing the loot.

Two of the most famous pirates are Captain Hook and Long John Silver.

Captain Hook got his name after losing an arm to Peter Pan and the crocodile. He had a hook instead of a right hand and was afraid of nothing - except the sight of his own blood!

Long John Silver was a cruel, clever, villain - and one of the scariest pirates you would ever come across!

Today, it's Captain Roger from the LEGO SYSTEM Pirates range whom we must beware of. He sails the seas in his ship The Marauder (6289), looting treasure to stash away on Shipwreck Island (6296). Pirates were famous adventurers of the seas. Imagine you're on a great adventure, transported to forgotten jungles.

This is exactly what happens to Alan Parish when he finds himself lost in the jungles of Jumanji.

Find out what happens when you enter Competition 2.

## COMPETITION 2

As a first prize winner, you'll get one of 15 LEGO SYSTEM Pirates Indigo Chief's Throne (6236).

Plus there are 10 second prizes of videos of the film JUMANJI.

20 Runners-up will each win LEGO Pirates Accessories (5122).

Just answer this question:

What is the name of evil Captain Roger's ship?

HAVE A KOOL CHRISTMAS

PIECES OF EIGHT!!

# IT'S KNOCKOUT!

## THIS IS IT, GANG... THE BIGGEST, BESTEST, COOLEST CRIMBO-BASHING PULL-OUT issue of BRICKS 'N' PIECES... EVER!

This is your chance to take a look at some of this year's GREAT LEGO models. Which ones will be on your COOL CRIMBO LIST?!!

Get smart...stick this poster up on your bedroom wall...and get lookin'!

Plus! I've got over 200 HOT PRIZES to give away in 5 MEAN COMPETITIONS!

Dare you enter all 5?

Go on...be a cool dude. Send your entries in an envelope to:

Knockout Comp (1 2, 3, 4 or 5)  
The LEGO Club, LEGO UK Ltd.,  
Wrexham LL13 7TQ

Closing date:  
12th December, 1998

Remember to include your name, age, membership number and the number of the competition you are entering.

TURN OVER AND CHECK OUT MY CRIMBO COUNTDOWN!

## WESTERN

the LEGO SYSTEM Western range is set in the days when outlaws ruled the land. Sheriff Duke has his hands full most of the time, with the Coyote Gang always causing trouble - whether it's a gun fight or robbing the city banks!

There have been lots of famous outlaws, including Jesse James, Buffalo Bill, Wyatt Earp and Annie Oakley. They masterminded many bank, train and stagecoach robberies.

Billy the Kid was infamous as a bandit and gunfighter from the age of 12. He escaped jail but was finally shot down by Sheriff Pat Garrett. If you could magically bring one of your toys to life, which one would you choose? That's what happens in the film Indian in the Cupboard.

At first, cool kid Omri cannot believe his toy Indian, Little Bear, is alive. But then together they embark on an amazing adventure that neither will ever forget!



## COMPETITION 3

Win one of 10 first prizes of LEGO SYSTEM Western Supply Wagon and Flamingo Gun (6716). PLUS! There are 10 second prizes of Indian in the Cupboard videos.

15 runners-up will each win LEGO Key Rings. Just answer this question:

What is the name of the Outlaw gang in the LEGO Western range?



## TOWN

Many television programmes are set in towns, such as Eastenders in London, Coronation Street in the fictional Wetherfield and Byker Grove in Newcastle.

The LEGO SYSTEM Town range is just like any one of these towns, with police, fire and ambulance crews rushing off to emergencies.

Aeroplanes and helicopters fly overhead and roads are busy with cars, trucks, buses and pedestrians.

LEGOLAND Windsor has its own town too - in Miniland there are hundreds of buildings and working models of bridges, trains, boats and more. Why not see them for yourself!

The film, The Little Rascals, is the story of the adventures of a gang of town friends - where mischief, mayhem and a few tricks are the number one priority.



## COMPETITION 5

Win a video of The Little R in Comp 5. There are 10 copies to give away to runners up.

Plus! There are 10 first prize LEGO SYSTEM Town Rapid Explorer (6665).

15 runners-up will each get a LEGO SYSTEM Town Accessories Set (5133) plus LEGO Town Road Signs (6315).

Just answer this question: What is the name of the town at LEGOLAND Windsor?



WATCH OUT!

The most famous time traveller of all time has to be the Time Lord, Doctor Who.

Since the Doctor left his home planet helping out all those he meets.

A Time Lord can change his physical appearance up to 13 times and so far Doctor Who has taken on 8 different identities!

But he has never travelled alone and his most famous companion was the metal dog, K-9.

Together with Dr Cyber, you can travel through time and space, in the LEGO SYSTEM Time Cruiser 'Navigator 2025' (6492).

## COMPETITION 4

15 first prize Winners will each get a LEGO SYSTEM Time Cruiser 'Scooty 2025' (6491).

There are 10 second prizes of a Dr Who video, novel and fact file.

PLUS: 15 runners-up will each get a LEGO Key Ring.

Just answer this question:

Name the famous doctor in the LEGO SYSTEM Time Cruisers range.



MERRY CHRISTMAS

BOOM!



STEP N' BUILD your own Speed Craft!





# MASTER BUILDER GOLDEN BRICK AWARDS

In this issue we highlight some more mean models from brick-crazy builders like you! Why not set your imagination wild and send in pics of your cool creations to us! Well done to all of you whose models are seen here - you all win Golden Brick Awards. It's a pity we can't show them all, 'cos you've got some great ideas - keep on building! But remember, you models must be all our own work!

Send a photo of your LEGO model to:  
Master Builder  
LEGO Club, LEGO UK Ltd.  
Wrexham LL13 7TQ

Remember include your name, address, age, Membership Number and model name. Sorry, photos cannot be returned.



James Brett aged 6, from Macclesfield, has built this cool torry with a side view window. Well done James!



David Duchemin, aged 7, from the Channel Islands, built this model torry with its own satellite dish. Well done David!



David Gooding from Ilford, sent us this photo of his LEGO microscope complete with a moving lens. Well done David!



Here we go! say the players on the pitch at Peter Fleming's football stadium. Peter built the stadium when he was watching Euro '96. GOAL!!



A killer shark was built by Michael Hussain, aged 6, from the Isle of Man. Michael has also built a model windmill. Nice one Michael!



LEGO GARAGE was built by William Almsworth, aged 6, from County Durham. The LEGO GARAGE has its own helicopter landing pad and look out tower!



The Max Mobile was sent in by Eoin Dineen, aged 7, from Cork. It sure looks like it would go fast!



Michael Broadhurst, aged 7, from Derby has sent us a picture of the LEGO Club logo made from LEGO bricks. Nice one Michael!

## KOOL KREATIONS



Here's a 'kool' new way to play with LEGO bricks. Think of something - anything! Then build it using pieces from your LEGO collection.

Be as wacky as you like. Go on - **GET BUILDING!**

**ABOUT THE GAME**  
Get your mates together into at least 2 teams - with 2 players on each team.  
The idea is that Player 1 on Team 1 builds a LEGO model while his teammate (Player 2) has to guess what he's building before the time runs out. If they win, they get a point!

**THINGS YOU NEED**

- Lots of LEGO bricks
- 2 or more teams (2 players on each team)
- A stop watch
- Pieces of paper - about 30

**HOW TO PLAY**  
Think of all the things you can build real fast with LEGO Pieces. Here's a few ideas:

- Crocodile
- Apple
- Penguin
- Box
- Car
- Plane

**READY, STEADY 6...6...60**  
Player 1 on Team 1 takes a piece of paper from the bowl without showing it to any one else. He has to build whatever is written on the paper within 5 minutes.

### CHRISTMAS COUNTDOWN STARTS TODAY!

**FRIDAY 1ST DECEMBER**

1. OPEN THE FIRST DOOR ON YOUR ADVENT CALENDAR
2. WRITE TO SANTA IN LAPLAND WITH YOUR CRIBBO LIST OF COOL LEGO MODELS
3. TIME TO START YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING
4. HANG UP YOUR STOCKING FOR ALL YOUR PRESSIONS!
5. HOLD A PARTY FOR YOUR FRIENDS AND PLAY LOTS OF GAMES
6. REMEMBER TO PUT UP THE MISTLETOE!
7. HELP TO MAKE THE CHRISTMAS PUDDING
8. LEARN SOME CHRISTMAS CAROLS
9. BUILD A SNOWMAN - WITH REAL SNOW OR LEGO BRICKS
10. TAKE IT EASY TODAY!
11. HAVE A KOOL SUE!
12. IT'S PANTS TIME!
13. SNAPE!! NO MORE SCHOOL UNTIL 1997
14. MAKE AND READ CARDS
15. REMEMBER TO PUT UP THE MISTLETOE!
16. WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE CHRISTMAS CAROL?
17. MAKE SOME CHRISTMAS CRACKERS!
18. WHICH LEGO MODELS DO YOU WANT FOR CHRISTMAS?
19. PUT UP THE CHRISTMAS TREE AND DECORATE IT WITH LIGHTS
20. WHO WILL YOU MISS UNDER THE MISTLETOE...!
21. DO YOU HAVE SPARE BULBS FOR THE CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTS?
22. WRAP PRESENTS AND PUT THE CHRISTMAS TREE UNDER THE MISTLETOE!
23. DON'T FORGET SANTA'S SHOES, MINCE PIE AND OF COURSE SOME CARROTS FOR RUDOLPH
24. MERRY CHRISTMAS

**A. MAKE YOURSELF A CHRISTMAS PRIZE!** 1. ROLL UP A STRIP OF CREPE PAPER LONGER THAN FLATTEN IT. 2. THEN CUT OUT SIMPLE SHAPES TO MAKE YOUR PATTERN. 3. UNROLL YOUR PRIZE AND DECORATE WITH Tinsel, GLITTER, OR THIN PAPER STRIPS.

**B. TRACE A TREE SHAPE ON TO A ROLL OF CREPE PAPER**  
Make sure some of the folded edge is uncut or it will fall to pieces.

## THE DREAM TEAM

In an exclusive interview BRICKS'N'PIECES talks to **TOP** British basketball player **ROGER 'HUGGY' HUGGINS**, captain of the **SHEFFIELD SHARKS**. Get the **LOW-DOWN** on what it takes to make one of the country's **LEADING TEAMS**.

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** The LEGO Club has lots of members who follow basketball. Why a LEGO helping the Sheffield Sharks?

**ROGER 'HUGGY' HUGGINS:** LEGO sponsors the Sharks and we wear the LEGO logo on our shirts. It's real COOL huh?

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** Talking of cool, you've got a real cool name. Where did you get 'HUGGY' from?

**ROGER:** The lads on the team gave me the name 'HUGGY' 'cos of my surname Huggins.

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** Is the Sheffield Sharks the only basketball club you've played for?

**ROGER:** No, before I came to the Sharks I played for Hawaii Pacific University and Brother Ghent, but neither of them are as cool as the SHARKS!

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** Huggy, you're real tall. Does it make you a better player?

**ROGER:** Well, I'm 6 ft 7" tall, but I'm not the tallest on the team. That's my mate Mark Harvey, who's 6 ft 9". But Dean Munnis is only 5 ft 10" tall!

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** Being so tall you must have big feet. What size are they?

**ROGER:** Yeah, I have pretty big feet, they are a size 16!!!

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** Wow, that's big! Well Huggy, do you have any favourite foods?

**ROGER:** Yeah - my favourite foods must be macaroni, cheese, chicken and Brussel sprouts. lolthangy.rgt at the basketball player?

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** If you work hard and practise then this will help you become a better player. Join a junior team and before you know it, you could have taken my place on the SHARKS!

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** So the secret is practise?

**ROGER:** It sure is!

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** What are the Sharks' plans for the future?

**ROGER:** Well, we've just won a couple of pre-season tournaments, so we're hoping to win some more cups and, of course, the LEAGUE.

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** With all the training, do you have any spare time?

**ROGER:** I enjoy playing football and I like to build with LEGO too.

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** You recently became a member of the England squad. How did that feel?

**ROGER:** It was a real big day for me playin' for England. I loved it.

**BRICKS'N'PIECES:** Well, the Sharks have gotten off to a flyer this season, so watch this space for more news soon!

### SHARKS COMPETITION

Win a COOL day out with the **SHEFFIELD SHARKS**. See the coach put them through their paces. Then enjoy the THRILL of becoming the team mascot for the day and watch the Sharks in action from a seat in the **VIP BOX!**

The prize day out will take place on **Sunday 29th December, 1996**.

To win, just answer this question:

**Who is the tallest SHARKS player and how tall is he?**

Send your entries in an envelope to:  
**SHARKS COMPETITION  
THE LEGO CLUB  
LEGO UK  
WREXHAM LL13 7TQ**

**CLOSING DATE: 12TH DECEMBER, 1996**

Don't forget to include your name, age and membership number.